

PROJECT: US 50, Ocean Gateway

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>: Upgraded US 50 to a 6 lane divided facility from Woods Road to Bucktown Road, including intersection modification at MD 16 (south) (1.00 miles). Wide curb lanes will accommodate bicycles.

<u>JUSTIFICATION:</u> Redevelopment of the Eastern Shore Hospital Center into a major resort/conference center necessitated US 50 capacity improvements. It is expected that the new development will result in significant regional economic benefit.

## **SMART GROWTH STATUS:**

Project Not Location Specific or Location Not Determined

Project Within PFA Project Outside PFA; Subject to Exception

Grandfathered Exception Approved by BPW/MDOT

## **ASSOCIATED IMPROVEMENTS:**

US 50, Access Control (System Preservation Program - Line 2)

Federal Funding By Year of Obligation												
	FFY	FFY	FFY	FFY	FFY	FEDERAL						
PHASE	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007 - 2008	CATEGORY						
PP	0	0	0	0	0							
PE	0	0	0	0	0							
RW	0	0	0	0	0							
co	0	0	0	0	0							

**STATUS:** Open to service.

**SIGNIFICANT CHANGE FROM FY 2002 - 07 CTP:** The cost increase of \$1.3 million is due to additional offsite wetland mitigation requirements, enhanced landscaping and additional pavement.

POTENTIAL FUNDING SOURCE:				X SPECIAL X FEDERAL GENERAL OTHER						
TOTAL			PROJECT CASH FLOW							
PHASE	<b>ESTIMATED</b>	EXPEND	CURRENT	BUDGET					SIX	BALANCE
	COST	THRU	YEAR	YEAR	FOR P	LANNING P	URPOSES (	ONLY	YEAR	TO
	(\$000)	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	TOTAL	COMPLETE
Planning	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(	0
Engineering	508	402	106	0	0	0	0	0	106	0
Right-of-way	y 321	136	179	6	0	0	0	0	185	5 0
Construction	n 4,294	3,984	10	300	0	0	0	0	310	0
Total	5,123	4,522	295	306	0	0	0	0	601	0
Federal-Aid	2,826	2,823	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	3 0

**FUNCTION:** 

**STATE -** Principal Arterial

FEDERAL - Other Principal Arterial

**STATE SYSTEM:** Primary

**DAILY TRAFFIC: (USAGE IMPACTS)** 

**CURRENT (2001) - 31,725** 

PROJECTED (2025) - 50,400

OPERATING COST IMPACT \$2,500 per year

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